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fully illustrated, & distinct

interleaved. —

What good experiments might be made of mixing pollen ~~together~~ of several kinds —

p. 12. Male & Female organs in hybrid unequally affected.

According to Gartner (p. 273.) when several varieties of the same species are crossed with another species, offspring closely alike, but when several close, but true species are crossed with another species offspring very unlike.

This must be tested in this work, specially in some of Nicotiana. — In the Nova Acta he experimented on plenty of vars. of Mirabilis and Jalappa. but I fear these vars. differed only in the colour.

But Dr Klotzsch remarks that Mirabilis Jalap. differs only in colour of flowers